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Remarks

On page 139, lines 20-21, of the specification, the ATCC Accession Nos. for Population #14028^{pop-1} and Population #14028^{pop-2}, "55681" and "55682," respectively, were inadvertently interchanged when the application was originally filed. Accordingly, Applicants have amended the specification to correct this clerical error.

On page 139, lines 28-31, and on page 140, lines 1-3, of the specification, the blank spaces adjacent to the listed microorganisms need to be filled with the corresponding ATCC Accession Nos. Accordingly, Applicants have amended the specification to replace the blank spaces with the corresponding ATCC Accession Nos. Thus, there is no issue of new matter, and Applicants respectfully request the entry of the above amendments.

Additionally, as noted herein, the present application discloses an invention directed towards microorganisms and discloses the deposit of such microorganisms with the American Type Culture Collection (ATCC) further to 37 C.F.R. 1.804(a). The deposits were assigned ATCC Accession Nos. 55680-55686, 55786-55789, 97179, and 97591-97593. In the original ATCC patent deposit receipts, OncoRx, Inc. was erroneously named as the depositor and owner of the deposits. The amended ATCC patent deposit receipts, **attached hereto**, reflect the correct depositor and owner to be Yale University, the assignee of record for the present application. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request that the amended deposit receipts be made of record for the above-identified case.

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If a telephone interview would be of assistance in advancing the prosecution of the subject application, Applicants' undersigned attorney invites the Examiner to telephone him at the number provided below.

No fee is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this Communication. However, if any additional fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of any such fee to Deposit Account No. 50-1891.

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INTERNATIONAL FORM

RECEIPT IN THE CASE OF AN ORIGINAL DEPOSIT ISSUED PURSUANT TO RULE 7.3
AND VIABILITY STATEMENT ISSUED PURSUANT TO RULE 10.2

To: (Name and Address of Depositor or Attorney)

Yale University
c/o Pennie & Edmonds
Attn: S. Leslie Misrock, Esq.
1155 Avenue of the Americas
New York, NY 10036

Deposited on Behalf of: Yale University - Docket No. 8002-028 (owner of deposit)

Identification Reference by Depositor:

ATCC Designation

Bacterium: <i>Salmonella typhimurium</i> , #72	55680
Bacterium: <i>Salmonella typhimurium</i> , #14028 ^{pop2}	55681
Bacterium: <i>Salmonella typhimurium</i> , #14028 ^{pop1}	55682
Bacterium: <i>Salmonella typhimurium</i> , #72 ^{pop2}	55683
Bacterium: <i>Salmonella typhimurium</i> , #72 ^{pop1}	55684
Bacterium: <i>Salmonella typhimurium</i> , #71	55685
Bacterium: <i>Salmonella typhimurium</i> , #70	55686
Bacterium: <i>Salmonella typhimurium</i> , #72 ^{s-3-2}	97179

The deposits were accompanied by: ___ a scientific description X a proposed taxonomic description indicated above. The deposits were received June 1, 1995 by this International Depository Authority and have been accepted.

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The viability of the cultures cited above was tested June 6, 1996. On that date, the cultures were viable.

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<i>Salmonella typhimurium</i> YS7213	55786
<i>Salmonella typhimurium</i> YS7211	55787
<i>Salmonella typhimurium</i> YS721	55788
<i>Salmonella typhimurium</i> YS7212	55789

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ATCC Designation

Plasmid pSP-SAD4-5

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Plasmid pTK-Sec3

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Plasmid pCD-Sec1

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